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In New York, prices ended the week unchanged on all sizes. Trade sentiment was mixed, but reported as mostly steady entering the weekend. Demand ranged light to fairly good, usually light to moderate and best for features. Supplies were adequate to available, at times ample in some regions. Breaking stock offerings were sufficient to fully sufficient for the light to moderate demand. Schedules were full time to reduced. Spent hens were more than adequate for the at least moderate demand. Processing schedules were noted as usually normal for the upcoming week.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL Prices ended the week unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Cartoned egg sales were light to good, best for features. Loose egg demand was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to ample for current needs.

	IA-MN-WI	Prices paid to producers.	Range	Mostly
EXTRA LARGE	45-55	46-52		
LARGE	44-54	45-48	27-36	31
MEDIUM	31-41	33-36	14-20	18
			8-12	

MIDWEST AREA: IA,IL,IN,KY,MI,MN,OH,NE,ND,SD,WI,WV,Western NY, and Western PA

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady beginning the weekend. Demand was light to moderate. Supplies ranged adequate to available for present trade needs. Breaking stock offerings were sufficient and demand was reported as light to moderate. Schedules were noted as mostly normal to less than normal. Spent hen supplies were more than adequate for the at least moderate demand. Slaughter schedules were usually normal for the upcoming week.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	55-70	56-59
LARGE	49-63	54-58
MEDIUM	35-48	40-42

NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices ended the week unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Cartoned and loose egg sales were light to good, best for feature activity. Supplies were fully adequate to ample for current needs. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were fully adequate to available for the light to moderate demand. Floor stocks adequate to fully adequate. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment steady to weak.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	58.5-67	60-63
LARGE	56.5-65	58-61
MEDIUM	40.5-49	42-45

SOUTH CENTRAL AREA: AR,AZ,CO,KS,LA,MO,NM,OK, and TX

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending unchanged on all sizes. The market tone was steady entering the weekend. Demand was light to moderate with the best movement centered around feature activity. Supplies were adequate to available for current requirements. Breaking stock offerings were sufficient for the light to moderate demand. Breaking schedules were normal to reduced. Light type fowl were fully adequate for the at least moderate demand. Slaughter schedules were mostly normal.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	53.5-67	55-58
LARGE	52-65	53-56
MEDIUM	37.5-55	38-42

SOUTHEAST AREA: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, Eastern TN, and Southern VA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

NEW YORK EGGS Prices were unchanged when compared to the previous day. The market tone was steady ending the week. Demand was light to mostly moderate. Supplies of all sizes were fully sufficient for present trade needs.

	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	63-67
LARGE	61-65
MEDIUM	47-51

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	52-61	54-58
LARGE	51-60	52-54
MEDIUM	38-47	41-43

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WESTERN REGIONAL Prices unchanged. The market tone was barely steady to weak with asking prices for next week unchanged to 3 cents lower on jumbo, unchanged on extra large, large, medium, and small. Retailer demand fairly good but below pre-Easter expectations. Offerings and floor stocks ample.

CALIFORNIA Prices unchanged. The market tone was barely steady to weak with asking prices for next week 3 cents lower on jumbo, unchanged on extra large, large, medium, and small. Retailer demand fairly good but far from expectations this close to Easter. Offerings ample. Small benchmark price 53. Ads in Southern California: smaller outlets- extra large dozen 99, buy 1 get 1 free, large dozen 79.

CALIFORNIA California Egg Marketing Association and other marketers benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons, cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

	RANGE
JUMBO	109
EXTRA LARGE	97
LARGE	87
MEDIUM	73

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	RANGE
JUMBO	78-98
EXTRA LARGE	76-85
LARGE	74-77
MEDIUM	60-63

PRICES TO CONSUMERS MAJOR CHAINS, METROPOLITAN AREA, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	RANGE
JUMBO	249-259
EXTRA LARGE	219-289
LARGE	199-219
MEDIUM	189-205

CENTRAL REGION BREAKING STOCK All prices ranged unchanged. Demand was light to moderate with offerings fully adequate. Floor stocks adequate to fully adequate. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment steady to weak.

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	25-31	25-29
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	16-20	17-19
CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR,CO,IA,IL,IN,KS,LA,MI,MN,MO,NM,ND,NE,OH,OK,SD,TX,WI		

EASTERN REGION BREAKING STOCK Mostly prices were unchanged when compared to early week trading. Trade sentiment was at best steady. Offerings were sufficient for the light to moderate demand. Floor stocks were usually adequate to fully adequate for mostly normal to less than normal processing schedules. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 05-Mar-2005 were unchanged from the previous week, but 4% less than a year ago. However, overall total cases broken under federal inspection were 7% more than a year earlier.

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	25-31	28-29
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	15-22	16-20
EASTERN REGION AREA: AL,CT,DE,FL,GA,KY,ME,MD,MA,MS,NH,NJ,NY,NC,PA,RI,SC,TN,VT,VA,WV		

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION - W/E 05-MAR-05
(LBS IN THOUSANDS) (EXCLUDES INGREDIENTS)

	CASES BROKEN	LIQUID WHOLE	LIQUID WHITE	LIQUID YOLK	DRIED	INED
CW	1,263,843	30,745	11,823	6,114	2,259	4,452
PW	1,239,906	30,324	11,917	6,138	2,520	4,320
LY	1,184,079	29,179	10,820	6,342	2,418	4,156
% CHG PW	2	1	-1	0	-10	3
% CHG LY	7	5	9	-4	-7	7
2005	11,114,319	266,121	108,256	57,331	25,641	39,119
2004	10,428,723	244,972	101,313	56,746	24,286	36,744
% CHG YTD	7	9	7	1	6	6
	CURRENT		PREVIOUS		LAST	
AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE -	WEEK		WEEK		YEAR	
(INEDIBLE INCLUDED)	42.04		42.50		42.65	
(INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)	38.52		39.02		39.14	

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized salt yolk reported from 41 to 45 cents fob with pasteurized whites too few to report. Trade sentiment was weak for whole egg and whites and about steady for yolk. Offerings were fully adequate to ample for whole egg, adequate to fully adequate for whites and adequate for yolk. Demand was just fair. Some breakers were attempting to cover unsold whole egg for out front deliveries and were meeting resistance. Breaking stock prices were unchanged to lower when compared to the past week's reported prices.

Prices paid cents per lb., FOB Plant to 10:00 AM non-pasteurized trucklot. For delivery within 14 days.

CLASS	LOADS	RANGE	WTD. AVG.	CHANGE FROM LAST WEEK
WHOLE	15	22.5-31	25.67	-5.26
WHITES	18	20-25	23.78	-.52
YOLKS	9	42.5-44	43.06	-.49

CENTRAL REGION FROZEN Frozen whole egg prices ranged unchanged to 2 cents lower while whites were unchanged. Sugared yolk ranged unchanged to 3 cents lower with salted yolk unchanged to 1 cent lower. Trade sentiment was steady to barely steady for whole egg, and steady to about steady on the balance of products. Spot demand was light and reported as disappointing in many locations. Offerings continued balanced to adequate. Central States breaking stock prices were lower when compared to the previous week's reported prices.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

TRUCKLOTS	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	38-42	40
WHITES	39-41	39
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	53-59	53-54
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	50-56	51-52

EASTERN REGION FROZEN Majority prices were unchanged on whole and whites, but lower on yolks when compared to the previous week's trading. Buyers were somewhat cautious on yolks and watching further market developments on all items. Supplies and offerings were balanced to adequate. Demand was seasonal and reported as only moderate. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 05-MAR-2005 were 2% less than the previous week, and 4% less than a year earlier.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb containers)

	TRUCKLOTS	(MIN. 25 CONT.)	LTL
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE
WHOLE	38-44	38-41	47-51
BLENDS (/)	TFEWR		59-75
WHITES	37-42	38-41	44-49
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	52-57	53-56	60-66
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	49-55	50-53	57-62
(/)- Whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 20-32% egg solids.			

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FROZEN Prices unchanged. Southern California breaking activity for the week ending 3/5 was 2% more than the previous week. Frozen demand fair with freezer stocks ample.

Wholesale selling prices, f.o.b. shipping point (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

	LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.)
	RANGE
WHOLE	46-49
WHITES	44-47
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	60-63
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	58-61

NATIONAL DRIED EGG Mostly prices were unchanged to lower on whole, but unchanged on balance of items when compared to a week earlier. Demand was only fair, but trading was usually reported as mostly light to occasionally moderate. Supplies were sufficient for trade needs. The undertone was cautiously steady. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 05-Mar-2005 were 10% less than the previous week, and 7% lower than last year. The total year to date dried eggs produced were 6% higher than a year earlier.

Wholesale selling prices, dollars per lb., in containers, Trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

WHOLE	1.33-1.68	MOSTLY 1.40-1.45
YOLKS	1.31-1.50	MOSTLY 1.35-1.40
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	2.30-2.50	MOSTLY 2.35-2.45
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.33-1.70	MOSTLY 1.35-1.45

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR MAR 04, 2005-MAR 10, 2005

CURRENT LOADS	41.75	FUTURE LOADS	39.00	TOTAL LOADS	80.75
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CLASS	SE		NE		MW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GNR W 1	32.00	35.67	32.50	36.25	—	—	14.00
GNR W 3	—	25.50	—	—	23.50	—	1.00
GNR BR 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.00
GL W J	—	—	53.00	54.00	38.69	—	4.25
GL W XL	47.50	48.71	44.75	47.85	40.60	—	25.75
GL W LG	45.50	46.82	38.50	40.00	40.20	41.00	10.75
GL W MD	34.00	35.00	—	32.20	27.94	29.10	15.00
GL W SM	23.50	26.00	25.00	27.50	—	—	2.50
NRBS - 48	—	28.00	—	—	—	32.00	16.00
NRBS - 45	—	—	—	—	—	27.00	1.00

CLASS	SC		NW		SW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GNR W 1	—	40.60	—	—	—	—	6.00
GL W J	41.50	—	—	—	—	51.76	5.25
GL W XL	—	48.00	—	—	—	50.00	1.50
GL W LG	—	47.00	—	—	—	50.00	2.50
GL W MD	28.00	38.00	31.50	—	—	34.00	3.25
GL W SM	20.75	—	—	—	—	25.75	1.00
NRBS - 42	20.00	21.00	—	—	—	—	1.00

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES ARE LISTED FOR VARIOUS CLASSES PRICED BY ORIGIN AND/OR DESTINATION FOR 6 REGIONS. THE LOADS COLUMN REFLECTS TOTAL LOADS REPORTED AND INCLUDES LOADS WITH PRICES TO BE DETERMINED LATER. NRBS CATEGORIES REPRESENT NET WEIGHT-MATERIAL MAY OR MAY NOT BE INCLUDED. LOAD MOVEMENT REPRESENTS TOTAL MOVEMENT WITHIN 6 REGIONS.

LIGHT TYPE HENS

CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS
(INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER
CHARGES, WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

EASTERN REGION LIGHT LIVE HEN Majority prices were unchanged when compared to a week ago. Demand was at least moderate with offerings of spent hens more than sufficient for current trade needs. Processing schedules were mostly normal. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	3-13	8-11

SOUTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN Costs of disposal were too few to report. Demand was light for adequate supplies of raw materials. Schedules were normal. Sales of dressed product were moderate. Values were expected to remain steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN Removal costs ranged unchanged. Demand was fair while offerings increased and were reported as fully adequate to ample. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment mixed.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	0-12	3.5-8.5

WEST COAST LIGHT LIVE HEN Plant schedules full-time. Offerings ample.

SHELL EGGS-COMBINED REGIONAL

MAR 11, 2005

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

REGIONS	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM
NORTHEAST	57.50	56.00	41.00
SOUTHEAST	56.50	54.50	40.00
MIDWEST	49.00	46.50	34.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	61.50	59.50	43.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	56.37	54.36	39.91

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Trading was too few to report on heavy canners; slightly lower on lights when compared to a week earlier. Demand was fair to moderate for light canners; heavy canners were at least moderate with most available supplies of the heavy canners being used internally. Offerings were generally adequate for current trade needs. Processing schedules were normal. The undertone was at least steady.

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, WITHOUT FREIGHT COST

LIGHT CANNER HENS
(LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)

28-33 MAJORITY 28-30

HEAVY CANNER HENS
(WITHOUT NECKS)

TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, FREIGHT COST INCLUDED

LIGHT CANNER HENS
(LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)

30-35 MAJORITY 31-33

HEAVY CANNER HENS
(WITHOUT NECKS)

TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER INSPECTION W/E 05-MAR-05
(PRELIMINARY)

U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED DOMESTICALLY

	LIGHT HENS	HEAVY HENS	TOTAL HENS
	THOUSANDS		
Head	1,547	1,451	2,998
Last Week	1,511	1,477	2,988
Same week yr ago	1,129	1,250	2,379
To-date/2005	12,815	11,602	24,417
To-date/2004	11,393	11,481	22,874

U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED IN CANADA

	LIGHT HENS	HEAVY HENS	TOTAL HENS
	THOUSANDS		
Head	324	0	324
Last Week	315	0	315
Same week yr ago	78	0	78
To-date/2005	2,871	4	2,875
To-date/2004	1,993	28	2,021

TOTAL U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED IN THE U.S. AND CANADA

	LIGHT HENS	HEAVY HENS	TOTAL HENS
	THOUSANDS		
Head	1,871	1,451	3,322
Last Week	1,826	1,477	3,303
Same week yr ago	1,207	1,250	2,457
To-date/2005	15,686	11,606	27,292
To-date/2004	13,386	11,509	24,895

Inspected Egg Products-U.S. & Canada Export/Import Trade**U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)**

Week Ending February 26, 2005		Year-To-Date		
TYPE	2005	2004 1/	2005 2/	2004
Liquid	159	241	1,559	1,018
Frozen	0	0	0	0
Dried	0	40	61	89
Total	159	281	1,620	1,107

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending February 26, 2005		Year-To-Date		
TYPE	2005	2004 1/	2005 2/	2004
Liquid	119	118	1,514	863
Frozen	45	55	203	290
Dried	140	0	300	551
Total	304	173	2,017	1,704

Inspected Shell Eggs**U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)**

Week Ending February 26, 2005		Year-To-Date		
TYPE	2005	2004 1/	2005 2/	2004
Jumbo	0	0	0	50
Extra Large	100	180	850	1,710
Large	1,500	800	4,130	7,593
Medium	1,500	2,250	7,065	5,280
Ungraded	0	1,632	722	11,280
Misc	733	0	1,483	0
Total	3,833	4,862	14,250	25,913

1/ Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

2/ Includes revisions to previous week(s).

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Source: USDA/AMS Poultry Programs, Market News Branch.

EGG PRODUCTS**Shell Eggs Broken Up 10 Percent**

Shell eggs broken totaled 159 million dozen during January 2005, up 10 percent from January a year ago.

January 2005 contained 21 weekdays (including one holiday) and five Saturdays, compared to 22 weekdays (including two holidays) and five Saturdays in January 2004.

Data presented in this report were compiled from inspection reports of the Food Safety and Inspection Service. The best available data at time of publication were used.

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT

(Receipts From Producers)

W/E 05-Mar-2005	CASES	PERCENT CHANGE FROM	
REGIONS	(IN THOUS)	PW	LY
North Atlantic	245.1	1	1
East North Central	626.8	0	10
West North Central	287.7	-3	3
South Atlantic	223.5	5	5
South Central	62.8	6	-10
West	219.7	8	10
Total	1665.6	2	6

Matched Plants reporting Previous week 86
Last year 85

Areas Covered: North Atlantic (ME,VT,MA,RI,CT,NH,NY,PA,NJ,MC,DE)
East North Central (WI,IL,MI,OH,IN) West North Central (IA,MN,MO,KS,SD)
South Atlantic (SC,NC,VA,GA,FL,KY) South Central (TN,AL,AR,MS,OK)
West (CA,CO,WA,OR,UT)

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS

W/E 05-Mar-2005

Selected	CW	LW	PERCENT CHANGE	
Consuming Centers	(Thousands)		LW	LY
Atlanta	26.8	30.0	-11	-9
Boston	3.3	3.0	10	0
Chicago	72.4	75.1	-4	-12
Detroit	23.5	25.5	-8	-10
Kansas City	3.2	8.5	-62	-26
Los Angeles	110.4	103.9	6	21
New Orleans	7.0	7.3	-4	8
New York	32.1	32.3	-1	9
St. Louis	17.3	14.5	19	6
San Francisco	20.5	19.8	4	-6
Total	316.5	319.9	-1	2
4 Week Moving Avg.	304.3			

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS - Selected Centers
(INCL GOVT STOCKS) (IN THOUSANDS)

		Frozen Eggs/LBS	Turkeys/LBS	Processed other Poultry/LBS
AM	03/07/05	3,391	93,556	42,843
AM	02/01/05	3,613	78,113	44,671
CHG		-222	15443	-1828
PCT CHG		-6%	20%	-4%

Based on the historical relationship of the preliminary U.S. Cold Storage holdings report of January 31, 2005 and the selected centers storage report, the expected U.S. holdings on March 1, 2005 are:

FROZEN EGGS	18 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS	5%
TURKEYS	402 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS	5%
POULTRY	607 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS	5%

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Mar 8, 2005

Prices paid per dozen Grade A Brown eggs in cartons delivered store door.

	EXTRA LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	97	94	69	47
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	90-94	87-91	62-66	40-44
MOSTLY	92-93	89-90	64-65	42-43
RHODE ISLAND	96-100	93-97	68-72	46-50
MOSTLY	96	93	68	46
VERMONT	97-100	94-95	69-75	-
MOSTLY	97	94	69	-

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PROCESSED EGGS: Monthly Inventory U.S. Dried Eggs (2nd Fri)

AS OF FEBRUARY 28, 2005

COMPARISONS ON THE BASIS OF MATCHED PLANTS

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
WHOLE			
PLAIN	2,569,974	-17	187
FREE FLOWING	5,493,070	20	311
BLEND	1,878,583	20	61
WHITE			
(ALBUMEN)	7,556,701	-4	101
BLEND	55,150	-4	-47
YOLK			
PLAIN	1,592,433	-16	-34
BLEND	11,287	-34	-72
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	2,549,568	-13	0
TOTAL	21,706,766	-2	77

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION:

JANUARY 30, 2005 - FEBRUARY 26, 2005

TOTAL 10,313,000 POUNDS.

Calculations were adjusted to represent matched plants from current month compared to previous month, and current month compared to previous year. Subsequently, the percent change calculations may be based on different cooperators if directly compared with data on previous reports.

OUT OF STATE EGGS - STATE COMPILATION

Report Date: 3/9/2005

Report Period: 2/6/2005 - 2/12/2005

State	# Cases Shipped To Northern CA	# Cases Shipped To Central CA	# Cases Shipped To Southern CA	Total State
Arizona	0	0	1,979	1,979
Arkansas	0	0	780	780
Colorado	0	0	2,866	2,866
Illinois	0	0	810	810
Iowa	8,770	7,688	49,998	66,456
Michigan	0	0	3,603	3,603
Minnesota	5,126	1,180	9,947	16,253
Missouri	0	0	2,160	2,160
Nevada	0	0	270	270
Ohio	0	0	3,250	3,250
Oregon	1,796	0	0	1,796
South Dakota	750	0	560	1,310
Texas	0	0	6,158	6,158
Utah	0	1,440	12,795	14,235
Washington	0	804	0	804
Wisconsin	0	840	3,873	4,713
TOTAL	16,442	11,952	99,049	127,443
SHIPPED TO MILITARY	0	0	0	0
SHIPPED TO NONMILITARY	16,442	11,952	99,049	127,443

OUT OF STATE EGGS - STATE COMPILATION

Report Date: 3/9/2005

Report Period: 2/13/2005 - 2/19/2005

State	# Cases Shipped To Northern CA	# Cases Shipped To Central CA	# Cases Shipped To Southern CA	Total State
Arizona	0	0	2,174	2,174
Colorado	0	0	3,860	3,860
Illinois	0	0	720	720
Iowa	4,620	3,938	50,737	59,295
Michigan	0	0	3,224	3,224
Minnesota	5,044	880	8,618	14,542
Missouri	0	0	1,380	1,380
Montana	0	0	948	948
Nevada	0	0	870	870
Oregon	2,347	612	0	2,959
South Dakota	0	0	3,366	3,366
Texas	0	0	4,334	4,334
Utah	0	1,500	12,993	14,493
Washington	420	570	780	1,770
TOTAL	12,431	7,500	94,004	113,935
SHIPPED TO MILITARY	0	0	0	0
SHIPPED TO NONMILITARY	12,431	7,500	94,004	113,935